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COMMUNITY XMAS TREE

Women of Alexandria Arranging for a "Celebration of Praise Service" Christmas Eve.

The city of Alexandria will have a community Christmas tree. It will be the second one seen here, that of last year being the first. The ladies in charge have sent to the Gazette the following concerning it:

Out under the stars the angels sang on the first Christmas—"Glory to God in the Highest and Peace on Earth, Good will Toward Man". The new-born child grew and waxed strong and spent much of his life out under the canopy of heaven. Out of doors many of his miracles were wrought. There he cured the leper, raised the dead, fed the multitudes, walked upon the sea, healed the blind, was transfigured before his disciples, and was tempted by Satan. He "went up into the mountain" or "into the garden" to pray.

The Christian religion is an out-of-door religion. It is as wide as the horizon and is not bounded by church walls or closed in by cathedral gates. Every human heart may become the alter of the most high—the human body the temple for the indwelling of His spirit. The whole world is its stage of action.

How fitting that Alexandria—the city where so many blessings have been poured out in the past year, where peace and good will reign supreme, where His hand has so singularly and marvelously shielded us from disaster or civic distress—how fitting we repeat, that all Alexandria and her neighbors should gather around the Community Christmas Tree and mingle their voices in praise and thanksgiving.

The tree will be placed on the site of the Gypsy Smith tent and there will be no limit to room for all Alexandria and its friends of the adjoining counties.

Of the old and the young, the big and the little, the rich and the poor, the sad and the glad, let none be missing.

The Gypsy Smith choir will lead the music. The tree will be beautifully decorted and illuminated but no gifts will be given anyone. The marvelous gifts of love, peace, and good will have already been bountifully bestowed upon us and this will be our celebration of praise.

The expense of the tree will be small and in order that every one many have a share in this Christmas celebration and community spirit, boxes will be placed at the various stores where your nickle, dime, or quarter may find a straight road to the finance committee. The committee will also receive, in person, any contribution you will bring or send them. They are: Mrs. Geo. S. French 219 S. Alfred French; Mrs. T. Marshall Jones, corner Pitt and Prince and Mrs. Harry Wade, 303 S. Washington street. The contributions must be voluntary, as there will be no solicitation for funds. Please make your contribution early so the committee can make their arrangements before the Christmas rush.

Remember it will be held on Christmas Eve—Sunday evening, Dec. 24, at 7 o'clock.

The service will not interfere with any other or with any business interest. Everybody can attend and everybody is expected.

While Shepherds watched their flocks at night,
All seated on the ground,
The Angel of the Lord came down,
And glory shone around.

NOTICE.

I desire to announce that the printing and publishing business formerly conducted by Mr. J. P. Chadwick, under the name of the Commercial Press, at 313 King Street, will in the future be conducted by me.

I solicit a continuation of your patronage.

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272-3t. HARRY W. WADE.

Norfolk Oysters at the Rammel Cafe, North Royal Street.

LIGHT DOCKET OF COURT

Only Two Cases of Drunkenness on The Blotter This Morning—One Man Forfeits Collateral.

Conditions in police circles were comparatively tranquil again this morning. Two arrests for drunkenness were made during the past twenty-four hours. Both are white men. One who had drank enough to render him conspicuous while upon the streets, deposited collateral for his appearance this morning before the Police Court. He could not be found when his case was called and forfeited his deposit. The other individual is a sailor belonging to the United States navy. He was ushered before the tribunal this morning, and after the testimony of the officer had been heard, the accused was fined $5. He alleged he had procured his liquor in Washington.

There was another case on the docket. Two young negro women had been arrested and brought before the bar yesterday to answer the charge of disorderly conduct and fighting. The case was continued until this morning in the absence of a material witness. There had evidently been a reconciliation between the combattants, and they both alleged that there had been no fight, and that they were merely sporting with each other. It was shown that one had struck the other on the head with a brick during the encounter, and that about two hundred persons had gathered to witness the fight. One of the prisoners admitted having used a missle upon the cranium of the other, but alleged that it was not a brick but a small stone, and that she merely tapped the skull of her antagonist in pleasantry.

Justice Caton summed the case up immediately. They had created a disturbance in the street, and fined them $5 each. Neither had the necessary wherewithal, and they are likely to become attaches of the city farm with Joshua Sherwood as their overseer.

HOLLAR STILL MISSING.

Washington Police Asked to Renew Search for Hospital Patient.

W. F. Stuart, of Alexandria, on Sunday visited Inspector Grant, chief of detectives, and asked that search be renewed for Louis Hollar, a patient at Walter Reed Hospital, who escaped last Tuesday from that institution. Stuart is Hollar's father-in-law, and he fears the missing man died in the woods after escaping from the hospital.

Hollar, who was a member of the Alexandria Light Infantry, started for the border shortly after he underwent an operation, was taken sick in Richmond and returned for treatment at Walter Reed Hospital. Six policemen searched the woods for the missing man without finding any trace of him, and Sunday Detective Armstrong was assigned to participate in the investigation.

The Washington police were told of a rumor that there was an automobile near the hospital, the morning when Hollar escaped, clad only in his pajamas, and soldiers on duty there suggested it was possible he had gone away in the car.

TO PRESENT PLAY

Two Hundred Pupils of Alexandria Schools in Cast.

The Washington and Lee schools are practicing the Military Opera "The Girl and the Soldier," and expect to present it at the Opera House early in December.

The piece is written from an incident in the Spanish-American war. The first act is laid in Richmond, Va., and the second act at Tampa, Florida. There will be two hundred in the production and rehearsals are held each day after school. Mr. Baker, who directed the high school opera "Powhatan," is in charge of the rehearsals.

Notice!

To whom it may concern:

This is to notify all persons that I will pay no bills contracted by my wife, Carrie Brown, from and after this date. J. A. Brown,
Dated Nov. 20, 1916. 273-1t

Alexandria City and Suburbs

Miss Kate Glenn, of Baltimore, is the guest of her nephew and niece, Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Miller, in the Wagar.

The Willard Womans' Christian Temperance Union will meet tomorrow afternoon, at three o'clock in Trinity M. E. Church.

The Misses Mitchell, of Washington, were the week-end guests of Miss Dorothy Knight, at her home in south Fairfax street.

The State Corporation Commission has issued amendments to the charter to the following companies: Parker-Brawner Co., Inc., Alexandria, increasing its maximum capital stock from $100,000 to $200,000. Also to the Las Ovas Co., Inc., Alexandria, Va., reducing its capital stock from $300,000 to $30,000.

The Ladies of St. Pauls' Sewing Society will hold their annual autumn sale in the Parish Hall, corner of Pitt and Duke streets, Thursday afternoon, November 23, from 2 to 5 o'clock. Many useful and dainty articles will be on sale, including aprons of all kinds and a variety of fancy work suitable for Christmas gifts, also home made cakes and candies. The childrens' corner will be especially attractive. Go and be convinced.

Attorney Whitehead, one of the attorneys connected with State Commissioner Peter's office having in charge the enforcement of the prohibition law has been among the visitors in the city during the week, looking into certain alleged violations of the statutes. Rumor says he is particularly interested in the cases that have been held for the grand jury which will come up later on.

Miss Estelle Murray, of Washington has resumed her winter classes in social dancing at St. Mary's Academy from 4 to 6, on Tuesday afternoons.

J. William May, of this city, will deliver a humorous lecture before the Southgate Club of Washington on next Thursday night.

Mrs. Allen McCarthy and little Miss Louise McCarthy have returned to their home in New York after a visit to Mrs. Frank S. Harper, at her home in Prince street.

Miss Dorothy Robins, of Houston, Texas, is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Albert Doyle Brockett, at their home in north Washington street. Mrs. Brockett and Miss Robins were recently the guests of friends in Danville, Va.

The new Alexandria Hospital is a matter of interest to both white and colored and should receive the hearty support and co-operation of the entire community. The following colored organizations, the First Baptist church, the Elks', St. Joseph's Catholic church and Gum Spring church, are working to furnish the colored ward of the new building.

The members of Andrew Jackson Lodge No. 120 A. F. and A. M., will pay their annual visit to Alexandria-Washington Lodge on Thursday evening, of this week, at the Masonic Temple. The master Mason's degree will be conferred by the visiting brethren for Alexandria-Washington lodge. Right Worshipful J. Johnson Green, district deputy grand master, will pay an official visit to the lodge the same evening.

The lecture "The Trenches" by the Hon. John Barrett, begins promptly at 8 o'clock tonight, in the Young Peoples' Building.

Mrs. F. E. Ludwig has returned from a pleasant trip to Baltimore where she attended the meeting of the Woman's Home Missionary Society of the Episcopal church.

Mrs. W. J. Sechrest and little nephews, Masters Douglass Ernest Bergman, and William Edward Bergman, of Montreat, N. C., who have been the guests of their aunt, Mrs. A. Rammel, at the Hotel Rammel, left yesterday to spend Thanksgiving and Christmas with the childrens' father at his home in Houston, Texas

Mrs. Legh Wilber Reid has placed a very handsome brass plate on the door of the reception room of the Anne Lee Memorial Home for the Aged, in honor of Colonel Arthur Herbert, colonel of the 17th Virginia Regiment, C. S. A. This room was furnished by the 17th Virginia Regiment Chapter, U. D. C., and is called the Colonel Arthur Herbert Room. Mrs. Reid is president of this chapter.

Some excitement was caused on Wilkes street, near Columbus, about seven o'clock last night by a row between several negroes. During the trouble sparks began to fly from a chimney, which started an alarm of fire. The Columbia hose wagon rushed to the scene, and members of the company prevented what might have resulted in a fire. While so engaged an insolent negro so incensed one of the firemen as to cause him to threaten the darkey with violence. The police soon appeared and restored the peace.

DIXIE FLYER WRECKED

Three Trainmen Injured, One Seriously, When Passenger Train Jumps Track.

Chattanooga, Tenn., Nov. 21—Three trainmen were injured, one seriously, when the Dixie Flyer, train No. 95, of the Nashville, Chattanooga and St. Louis Railway, jumped the track in a cut two miles south of Wauhatchie, Tenn., yesterday afternoon. L. S., Brown, mail clerk, of Bellbuckle, Tenn., was seriously cut and bruised, but the others were only slightly hurt.

Officials say spreading rails probably caused the accident. Six of the ten cars in the train left the track and were thrown across the rails. The engine and the four rear Pullmans remained on the track.

VILLA'S SECOND WIFE DEAD.

Woman Who Was Ordered Deported From El Paso, Expires in Guadalajara.

El Paso, Texas, Nov. 21.— Mrs. Juana Torres de Villa, who claimed to be the second wife of Francisco Villa, died recently in Guadalajara, Mexico, according to a letter received here. Mrs. Villa lived in Los Angeles, Cal., after Villa took the field as a bandit, later coming here at the time of the Carrizal affair in June, She was ordered deported and left for Chihuahua City, Mrs. Luz Corral Villa, who claims to be Villa's first wife, is understood to be in Havana, Cuba.

JAILED FOR 30 YEARS.

Brazilian Bandit Had Terrorized Three States.

Recife, Brazil, Nov. 21.—Thirty years in prison was the sentence imposed on Antonio Silvino, a bandit who terrorized the border of three states for more than twenty years.

Silvino had thirty specific murder charges arrayed against him when he was finally captured by the federal police after a pitched battle with the bandit and his 200 followers.

It is claimed that the victims of his border raids number thousands.

Genuine Lynnhaven Bay Oysters, on half shell, steamed or in measure, Jacob Brill foot of King St. 246-tf

If you can sell jewelery on the easy payment plan, I want you. Salary and commission. Address Geo. H Railing, 714 King street. 269-3t.

DEATH OF BISHOP WILSON

Alpheus W. Wilson, senior bishop of the Methodist Episcopal Church, South, until his retirement at the last general conference held in Oklahoma City, died at his home, in Baltimore, early today. Bishop Wilson was eighty-three years of age,

MAY ABANDON PARADE.

Simple Inaugural Ceremonies on March 5, Urged.

Friends of President Wilson having learned that he is inclined to discountenance the idea of a inauguration celebration are prepared to suggest to him that the inaugural parade likewise be abandoned and the ceremony on March 4 or 5 be made as simple as possible.

It is pointed out that the inauguration date falls on Sunday, that the formal oath of office will be administered on that day and that the usual inaugural parade would have to be held the following day, if held at all. There would be little point to such a parade after the inauguration proper was over.

The program that will be proposed will consist of the delivery of an inaugural address either in the Senate chamber or on the front balcony of the capitol, to be followed by a public march to the White House. This march would be attended only by a modest escort and the ceremony would end there.

Such a proposal will meet with stubborn opposition from the business interests of Washington, which profit largely by the enormous inaugural crowds, but it is believed it would be favorably received by the country as a whole.

In the past inaugural parades have been composed largely of state troops This year all state troops have seen many months of active service in the field and not many of them would relish a junket to Washington in addition. Moreover, inauguration weather is proverbially bad and hundreds of people have lost their lives as a casions. result of exposure upon such oc-

It is practically settled that the inaugural ball will not be revived this year. Neither the President nor his household favor the idea and, of course, their wishes in this connection will prevail just as they did four years ago. The only question to be settled, therefore is whether or not the inauguration ceremony shall include a parade. This will be taken up for determination in the near future.

GERMANY IGNORES PROTESTS.

Continues Deporting Belgians Despite Action of Vatican and Neutral Nations.

London, Nov. 21.—Notwithstanding protests from America, Holland, and the Vatican, Germany is still deporting Belgian workmen. Moreover she is registering, presumably for future deportation, all citizens of Switzerland and the Duchy of Luxemburg, who are residing in Belgium.

A statement from the London office of the Belgian department of justice made these assertions today.

"The deportation of Belgian subjects continue without respite," the statement asserted. "The council of aldermen at Brussels were arrested because they refused to communicate lists of unemployed to the German authorities.

Deportations are proceeding in the province of Hainault and in Wells and Flanders. Subjects of the Duchy of Luxemburg and also of Switzerland residing in Belgium are compelled to register. A group of Luxemburgers have already been deported.

HIS ASHES TO I. W. W. MEN.

One Hundred and Fifty Envelopes Distributed at Request of Hillstrom to Delegates.

Chicago, Nov. 21.—One hundred and fifty envelopes containing ashes of Joseph Hillstrom, or "Joe Hill," as he usually signed himself, were distributed to as many delegates to the tenth annual convention of the Industrial Workers of the World, which opened here yesterday. The ashes will be scattered by the delegates and by locals of the I. W. W., to which 450 other envelopes were mailed, according to the wishes of Hillstrom, who was executed in Utah for murder.

BOILER BLOW-UP KILLS FOUR

Explosion on Tug Fatal to Captain on First Day in Command

New York, Nov. 21—Four men were killed and four others seriously injured by the explosion yesterday of the boiler of the tugboat Rambler, lying near Bergen's dock, at the foot of Commercial street, Greenpoint. The tug was sunk in 20 feet of water, while the wrecked boiler, flying 60 feet away together with pieces of the boat's engine, caused thousands of dollars worth of damage to tugs lying nearby.

ECHO OF THE DROWNING

Brother-in-Law of Mrs. Swartz Says Deceased Had About $175 When She Disappeared.

Harrie White, Justice of the Peace of Fairfax county, a former resident of this city, has received the following letter from J. E. Swartz, brother-in-law of Mrs. Swartz, whose body was found in the river at Mount Vernon several months ago. The drowned woman, it is alleged, had about one hundred and seventy-five dollars upon her person when she disappeared. Mr. Swartz says:

Chicago, Nov. 7, 1916.

Mr. Harrie White, Alexandria, Va.

Dear Mr. White:—I must apologize for not writing sooner, but there was so much red tape to go through with, and as my business had been neglected for over a week, it took me a long time to get matters straightened up so as to know where I stood.

We have decided not to investigate what became of the money Mrs. Swartz had in her possession. It would be impossible to locate same with a certainty, and would mean a great deal of notoriety which we want to avoid. According to her brother, she had about a hundred and seventy-five dollars with her, but, of course, it is impossible for us to even guess what became of it. Personally, I know that you handled the affair in first class shape and did everything you could to make it as easy for me as possible. I want to thank you very much for what you did in the matter, as well as the rest of the boys I met there. Everyone seemed to be willing and ready to help me in every way possible, and I assure you that I appreciate all these facts, and should I ever be called to your part of the country, I would be very glad to meet all of you, under different circumstances

Again thanking you for your kindness in the matter, I am

Sincerely yours,
J.E.SWARTZ.

YOUNG WOMAN SLAIN

Husband Locked Up on Suspicion—He Says It Was Suicide.

Bordentown, N. J., Nov. 21. — With the back of her head blown off by a charge of bird shot, the body of Mrs. Bertha Cook, 23 years old, was found Sunday afternoon about 2 o'clock in the kitchen of her home No. 229 Spring street. Edward Cook, also 23 years old, said his wife had shot herself while he was upstairs writing a letter, but Coroner Gaskill declares that the wound in the woman's head is such as to preclude any possibility that she fired the terribly fatal shot. County Prosecutor Kelsey therefore ordered Cook imprisoned on suspicion until the investigation can be completed. Cook was taken to the Burlington county jail.

Cook, who had been employed as a laborer at a brick works at White Hill, married Bertha Smith, of White Hill, in March last. They lived in apparent happiness for a time, but the inevitable triangle entered the home. It is said that Cook was giving attention to another woman and his wife upbraided him for it. They are said to have quarreled frequently, and at last decided to separate. They had lived apart for several months, when recently a reconciliation was affected and they started life over.

LA TOURAINE ARRIVES.

French Liner Narrowly Escaped Being Torpedoed Day After Leaving Bordeaux.

New York, Nov. 21—The French liner La Touraine narrowly escaped being torpeoded the day she left Bordeaux and when about 20 miles off the French coast, On her arrival yesterday Captain Caussin said he had been at sea only a few hours in an extremely rough sea when he was signaled by what he thought was a French steamer about a mile away, saying she needed assistance, as she was without propellers.

La Touraine was stopped and a small boat launched with several men who put off to the distressed vessel. They were on the sea for an hour trying to reach her, when a wireless was received from the steamer Columbian, stating she was being torpedoed, and warning all steamers to look out for a steamer with broken propellers. Captain Caussin recalled the boat, and made all haste to depart.

Norfolk Oysters at the Rammel Cafe, North Royal Street.

LOOK FOR THEIR RETURN

People in Richmond Believe Virginia Soldiers Will Be Back Home by Christmas

Prospects for the early return of the two Virginia infantry regiments on duty in Texas are considered bright by Adjutant-General W. W. Sale, who has just returned from Washington, where he has been in conference with War Department officials for several days. While no definite information was secured by General Sale, he shares the opinion of Senator Claude A. Swanson and Congressman Carter Glass, that the Virginia infantrymen will eat Christmas dinner at home.

Information was sought by General Sale on the prospects for the return of the Virginia troops, who are now entering upon their sixth month of service. Conditions on the border ,however, seem little brighter, and he got no official information. From Virginia representatives in Congress he secured some encouragement, as all of them are working for the return of the boys, and are confident that the infantry at least has a chance to come back in the near future.

In event the Virginia infantry is ordered home, both regiments will be brought to Richmond, according to plans now in mind. General Sale has secured the use of all three local armories for the use of the returning troops, and they will be quartered in the local buildings while the formalities o fmustering out are being complied with. It will probably require a week or ten days to attend to all of the details, which include the final payment of all the men, and their return to the State service.

Upon the return of the Virginia guardsmen to the State service, they will be again required to subscribe to the Federal oath to serve three years actively and three years in reserve. Their pay for weekly drills will depend upon their compliance with that feature of the Hay bill.

ST. MARY'S ACADEMY

Pupils Spend an Hour with James Whitcomb Riley's Poems.

The first Academics of St. Mary's Academy gave a very delightful hour of "Riley Thoughts," in their class room on Monday afternoon. The program, a part of the regular English class work, was varied. Miss Eleanor McGahey in her paper told interesting facts of Riley's boyhood Miss Fannie Davis gave very creditably as her part of the program "The Ole Swimmin' Hole." Miss Emma Hubbard gave "An Old Sweetheart of Mine," as a Reading and "The Fellows 'd like to Meet," as a recitation. "Granny," by Miss Imogene Crilly was a surprise to many present. Miss Arbutus Reid's paper dealt very interestingly with James Whitcomb Riley and his poems. Miss Dorothy Nugent and Miss Anna Bacigaluppi gave as quotations the delightful little Poems "Sunshine behind the Clouds" and "Thoughts." respectively. In "Our Hired Girl," Miss Lucy Triplett interpreted Riley very accurately. Miss Gladys Gaines in "In Memoriam," gave an estimate of Riley's standing among today's poets and of the world-wide grief occasioned by his death during the past summer.

REFUSES TO TRY GIRL.

Thompson Falls, Mont., Nov. 21—Judge R. Lee McCulloch, of Sanders county disqualified himself rather than preside at the trial of Miss Edith Colby, a newspaper woman charged with the murder of A. C. Thomas, a politician.

John Maniere, editor, and A. S. Ainsworth, manager of the paper on which Miss Colby worked, are held as accessories.

Judge McCulloch said his reason for not desiring to preside at the trial were too personal to be explained, and called Judge J. M. Clements, of Helena, to the bench.

Pursued by Serbians

Saloniki, Nov. 21—Serbian forces are hotly pursuing the Bulgarian-German forces retreating toward Prilep after being forced out of Monastir. They have captured the towns of Makovo, Oredovo, Vrances, Ridanie Bitiahik, Novak.

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THE WAY THEY DO IT NOW.

Representative-elect O. D. Bleakley, of Pennsylvania, arrived in Washington at 5 o'clock yesterday afternoon from Philadelphia in an air machine. The trip of 140 miles was made in better than train time, without mishap or unusual adventure. The machine passed over Baltimore and Wilmington, Del., at the rate of more than a mile a minute. Circling the Washington Monument and flying over the White House grounds, the aero landed in Potomac Park a few minutes before 5 o'clock.

"Mr. Bleakley is 60 years old, and it is said he intends, when the weather will permit to use an air machine in traveling from Washington to his home.

The above will bring to mind reminiscences o fthe early history of the United States. One President-elect, we read, quietly rode on a horse, unaccompanied, from his rural home to Washington when the time for his inauguration drew near.

Three-quarters of a century ago, before the day of railroads, telegraph or steamboats, people were compelled to travel and transact business upon lines but slightly improved since the days of Julius Caesar. Some persons now living remember the old lumbering stage coach. The luxuries of modern palace and sleeping cars were not dreamed of, and passengers in winter huddled together in the stage coach, covered with quilts, in order to keep from freezing. Henry Clay, was once asked by a friend how he passed his time in a stage coach night and day for so long a period. The silver-tongued orator replied, "Why, we sleep it off to a great extent. Wrapped in quilts, the heat from each others' bodies render conditions comfortable."

If any one had prophesied in those days that a time would come when Congressmen could make the trip from their homes in a few hours by an aerial journey, he would have been regarded as a fit subject for a lunatic asylum.

WHAT DOES IT MEAN?

There must be something more in this deportation to Germany of Belgium's able-bodied population than appears on the surface. It is worth nothing that the classes exempted—or which appear to be exempted—are in the main the noncombatant classes. May it not be that Germany is preparing for the evacuation of Belgium, and to that end, having stripped the land of its wealth, of its food resources and of its industrial equipment, seeks now to rob it of its manhood?

The Richmond Times-Dispatch in commenting upon this strange German movement, says, one must go back to the exploits of Roman conquerors, or to the triumphs of Vandal and Goth, to find a fitting parallel to the atrocity now being committed under the orders of the Kaiser. The strong men of whole villages are being torn from their families and shipped into virtual slavery. It is said the plan contemplates the deportation of 300,000 such men and, taking into consideration the existing Belgia army and its reserve, prisoners and casualties and exiles in foreign lands, there cannot be many more than 300,000 men capable of bearing arms now in Belgium.

It hardly seems possible that Germany would risk another outburst of world idignation without grave cause, and even Germany must have understood the world would bitterly resent this latest outrage. Particularly must she have known it would be resented in the United States, which she was so desirous of placating that, at Ameri[illegible] sufference, she modified her subm[illegible] warfare.

If Ger[illegible] plans to quit Belgium, she will [illegible] to have there no man capable [illegible] arms or of making sub[illegible] contribution to the economic [illegible] industrial support of the allied forces. To attain this end she may be willing to remove agricultural laborers from Belgium fields and workmen from Belgium shops and so add substantially to the mouths she must feed at home, but any lesser purpose would not seem to justify the step she is taking. Frightfulness, in its German incarnation, is a deliberate and considered policy, not a mere outburst of passion. How, short of a purpose to quit a land, ravished and ravaged, may this newest frightfulness be explained?

MAY CLOSE THE JAIL

The jailer of Richmond may soon find himself an Othello without an occupation, according to the Richmond Virginian, which observes that since the new prohibition law went into effect a big change has come over the city. Few arrests are being made these days. In fact, the officers scarcely have enough work to do at times to keep awake. As a rule, on Mondays the court lasts for three or four hours, while yesterday morning the entire docket was disposed of in less than an hour.

Owing to the lack of patronage the city jail, may have to be closed within the next few days. One-half of the jail has already been closed because of the fact that only a few prisoners are now incarcerted in the prison.

According to City Sergeant John L. Satterfield, he has lost 120 prisoners over and above the number received this month. He asserts that he is discharging about four to every one received. One month ago there were 290 men and women locked up in jail, while at the present time there are only 170. Sergeant Satterfield declared that by the end of the year the place will be deserted.

BUNCOING POLAND

As a cotemporary observes, it becomes more and more evident that the Austro-German creation of a Polish kingdom was merely a device to fill the depleted ranks of the Teutonic armies. Chancellor von Bethmann-Hollweg, in fact, has told a committee of the Reichstag that the promise was only conditional, "being dependent on the success of the plan to raise a Polish army which would fight for Germany."

To raise this army, voluntary enlistment is to be tried first and compulsion second; if both fail, the promise of an independent Poland will be withdrawn.

This Polish "re-creation" never was taken very seriously in the United States.

BRYAN OPENS CAMPAIGN

Commoner Starts His Four-Year Battle to Make Democrats Join the "Drys"

Chicago, Nov. 21—On the heels of heavy political campaigning, William Jennings Bryan plunged into his four-year prohibition fight yesterday with an address before the Chicago Dry Federation. Bryan's speech here is the signal for the opening of a campaign to make Chicago dry in 1918. It is also his opening shot in a four-year campaign to make the United States dry. Before he is through the Commoner plans to force a prohibition plank into the platforms of both big parties. He said the prohibition wave would sweep every state in the Union. That Bryan is still able to draw thousands was shown Sunday night when traffic on Michigan Boulevard was blocked for hours by crowds overflowing from Orchestra hall, where he was to speak. He finally spoke to them from the steps of the Art Institute.

APPLE CUP CUSTARD.

4 tart apples, 1 tablespoonful of butter, 4 tablespoonfuls of sugar, 4 eggs (yolks), ½ pint of milk, 4 eggs (whites), 4 tablespoonfuls of powdered sugar.

Pare, core and steam apples until tender; strain. When hot add butter, sugar, egg yolks and milk. Turn into buttered baking cups and bake twenty minutes. Beat whites of egg until stiff and add powdered sugar. Heap over top of cups, dust with powdered sugar and brown in the oven. Serve cold.

[Complete copy of 209 apple recipes can be obtained free by applying to the secretary of the Virginia State Horticultural society, Winchester, Va.]

Notice.

Notice to State Tax Payers—I am now prepared to receive the State taxes for the year 1916. The attention of tax payers is respectfully called to the importance of paying the same prior to December 1, 1916, as on that date a penalty of five per cent. will be added to all unpaid bills and their collection enforced as required by law.

THOS. W. ROBINSON,
273-10t City Treasurer.
Alexandria, Nov. 21, 1916

AUCTION SALES

COMMISSIONER'S SALE.
S. H. LUNT, Auctioneer.
Saturday, December 2, 1916.

By virtue of a decree of the Circuit Court of the City of Alexandria, Virginia, entered on the 16th day of November, 1916, in the chancery cause of Edgar R. Troxell, et als., vs. The Capital City Telephone Company, et als., the undersigned Commissioner will offer for sale, at public auction, to the highest bidder, in front of the premises, No. 309 King Street, on Saturday, the 2nd day of December, 1916, at twelve o'clock, the following described property of the Capital City Telephone Company, to-wit: The entire plant, consisting of the switchboard and central office system, situated at No. 309 King Street, in the City of Alexandria, Virginia, and the poles, wires and overhead telephone system now owned by the said Company, within the City and County of Alexandria, and Fairfax County, and the exclusive right to use, for exchange purposes, within the said City and Counties, the United States patents, Nos. 423, 788, 562, 013, 102, 011, 010, 009; and any other patent rights, tools, machinery and property of all sorts, belonging to the said Telephone Company, and all other personal property now owned by the said Company and not herein described. Also all legal rights and privileges belonging to the said Company by virtue of contracts now existing between the Company and persons or corporations using, or expecting to use, its telephone system.

Terms of Sale: 1-3 of the purchase money to be paid in cash, and the residue in two installments at six and twelve months from the date of sale, title to be retained until the full purchase price is paid; or the purchaser may pay the whole of the purchase money in cash.

SAMUEL G. BRENT,
Commissioner.

I, Nevell S. Greenaway, Clerk of the aforesaid Court, do certify that Samuel G. Brent, Commissioner in the aforementioned suit, has executed the bond as required by the decree of sale, entered in said suit.

NEVELL S. GREENAWAY,
271-12t. Clerk.

Trustees Sale of valuable real estate improved by four story brick building at the southeast corner of Prince and Fairfax streets Alexandria, Va., also all engines, boilers, motors, kettles and other personal property in said premises.

By virtue of a certain deed of Trust duly recorded in liber No. 58, folio 142 et. seq. of the land records of the City of Alexandria and at the request of the party secured thereby, the undersigned Trustees will sell at public auction, in front of the premises on FRIDAY the FIRST DAY of DECEMBER at FOUR o'clock P. M., the following described land and premises and personal property situated in the city of Alexandria, Virginia, known and distinguished as all that certain lot piece or parcel of land with the improvements thereon described as follows to wit: Beginning at the Southeast corner of Prince and Fairfax streets, and running thense eastwardly on the south line of Prince street, 61 feet 8 and 1-4 inches; then southwardly and parallel to Fairfax street, 114 feet 7 inches more or less to a 10 foot alley; thence along the line of said alley and parallel to Prince 61 feet 8 and 1-4 inches to Fairfax street, and thence north and fronting on Fairfax street, 114 feet 7 inches to the beginning.

Also the following machinery, apparatus and other personal property contained in, or on the afore mentioned described property. One 60 horse power tubular boiler with all the appurtenances thereto. One 45 horse power engine and direct connected dynamo 350 revolutions, 200 amphers, 110 volts with Western switch board volt meters, 120 ammimeters 250. Three multipolar iron clad motors 5, 10, 15 horse power all with voltage 110 with all necessary switches. One three horse power motor exhaust and direct steam heating plant. Electric lights and wiring carrying 200 lamps 16 and 32 candle power. Steam heater with coils and pipes; 4 large boiling and mixing kettles, 1 large acid tank and mixer and all other rights of property contained in said buildings and appurtenances to said piece of ground belonging as more fully set fourth in said Deed of Trust. Terms of sale: One fourth of the purchase money to be paid in cash, balance in three equal installments, payable in one, two and three years with interests at six per centum per annum, payable semi annually from day of sale, secured by Deed of Trust upon the property sold, or all cash at the option of the purchaser, a deposit of $300 will be required at the time of sale, all conveyancing, recording and etc. at the cost of the purchaser, term of sale to be complied with, within 15 days from date of sale, otherwise the Trustees reserve the right to resell the property at the risk and cost of the defaulting purchaser, after five days advertising of such reserve in some newspaper published in the city of Alexandria. The foregoing realestate will first be offerred for sale, and immediately thereafter, the for going personal property which may be on said premises on the day of sale will be offered for sale.

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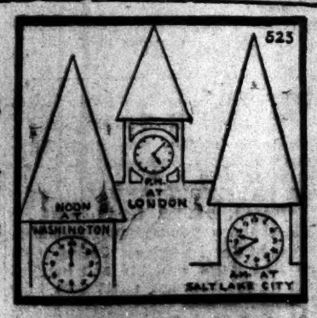

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VIRGINIA NEWS

Paragraphs Picked Up Here and There Throughout the State.

Considerable excitement was aroused at the University of Virginia yesterday afternoon by the discovery of an underground passageway, which started in proximity to the room occupied by Edgar Allan Poe, 13 West Range, and extended nearly 200 yards. The passageway is arched with brick through its entire length and a person nearly five feet tall can walk through it without stooping It is similar to the one at Monticello, through which Thomas Jefferson is supposed to have made his escape from General Tarleton, of the British Army. As a matter of fact the tunnel at Monticello was for sewer purposes, and doubtless the mysterious subterranean passage discovered yesterday at the university was constructed for the same use, although the floor is of natural dirt.

Dr. George Tucker Harrison, 81 years old, a surgeon in the Confederate Army and now a physician at the University of Virginia, has gone to New York city, where he will wed this week a Mrs. Seymour, a widow. Dr. Harrison is a son of the late Dr. Gessner Harrison, for years professor of ancient languages at the University of Virginia.

Massanutten Academy has suspended classes until January 1, owing to an epidemic of typhoid fever caused by the use of insanitary milk. Richard Messer, State Sanitary Engineer, has been in Woodstock for a week and reported the sanitary conditions at the academy satisfactory and the water supply pure. Two dairies which supply milk for the families affected have been ordered to discontinue. Twelve cases have been reported.

Patrolman Peyton M. Stewart arrested a white man at the Petersburg station of the Seaboard Air Line Railway yesterday who had brought with him in a trunk enough liquor to start a blind tiger. The man arrived here Saturday night from Baltimore. The weight of his trunk and the odor of whiskey escaping from it attracted the attention of the officer and when the stranger failed to call for it immediately it was opened by the authorities and found to contain 122 half pints of whisky. The stranger was placed under arrest.

Peyton, seven year old son of Peyton Fortune, was run down by an automobile yesterday in Fairview Heights, near Lynchburg, and is seriously if not fatally injured.

Leonard Karnes, of Covington was killed accidentally yesterday morning near White Sulphur Springs, while riding on a freight train.

Robert Faulconor, thirteen-year-old son of A. L. Faulconer, who was injured in a fall several days ago, in which he sustained a fractured skull, died yesterday morning at St. Andrew's Hospital, Lynchburg.

Edgar Eugene Christie, twelve-year-old son of Councilman and Mrs. E. E. Christie, of Newport News was kicked and almost instantly killed by a horse while playing in a vacant field near his home Saturday afternoon.

MINISTERS MUST LEAVE.

Commander of Allied Fleet so Informs Representatives of Central Alliance.

London, Nov. 21.—An Athens dispatch to the Exchange Telegraph Company, says: The German Austro-Hungarian ,Bulgarian and Turkish ministers to Greece, have been informed by Vice Admiral Du Fournet, commander of the allied fleet, that they must depart from Greece by Wednesday.

Vice Admiral du Fournet notified the Ministers that they must go aboard a steamer which has been placed at their disposal; otherwise they will be taken forcibly.

The Americcan legation has undertaken the protection of the Austrians, Turks and Bulgars in Greece, while the Spanish legation will take charge of German interests.

A Reuter dispatch from Athens, dated Sunday, says that the situation in Greece is of the gravest importance.

"The nature of the allied demands formulated Saturday are concealed, but it is inferred that they took the form of an ultimatum, expiring today."

The Daily Mail's Athens correspondent says:

"The immediate cause of the expulsion of the Ministers was the discovery that the German naval attache, Baron von Senarclens Grancy, was engaged in espionage."

Athens, Nov. 21.—A royal decree issued today accepts the resignation of the officers of the Greek army, who desire to join the provisional government at Saloniki and orders their liberation from Sygro prison, where they have been confined on charges of desertion from the Greek army.

The Greek government was expected to proclaim the formation of a neutral zone between two sectors of the country. The French will guard the zone, and also adminster towns in it.

THREE-EIGHTS OF BOTTLE DID IT.

Does Not Have Any More Trouble With Shortness of Breath or Sour Stomach

"I suffered from stomach trouble and indigestion. The symptoms were shortness of breath and sour stomach", said Julians Clark of 910 Second Ave. N. W., Roanoke, Va., and after taking not quite one-half of a bottle of Tanlac he said:

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Wash Cloths to match .... 5c, 6c, 7c, 8c, 10c, 12 1-2c, 15c and 35c each

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Pure Linen Scarfs, special $1.25 each—Cotton, 50c each.

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Stamped hot roll covers, on good linen ..... 35c each

MISCELLANEOUS

Louis Baumgartner, a Richmond confectioner, was fined $50 and sentenced to ten days in jail by justice Crutchfield yesterday upon a charge of raffling off boxes of candy.

The State Supreme Court of Appeals has refused to allow an appeal to Wyllie Anderson, of Danville, who engaged in a little "stud" game for small stakes and was sentenced by the Corporation Court of that city to serve twelve months in jail—the maximum penalty.

Alexandria City Duckpin League.

Standing of the Clubs.

	Games.	Won.	Lost.	Pct.
Cardinals	27	24	3	.889
Snorters	27	22	5	.815
Richmonds	30	22	8	.733
Old Dominions	27	17	10	.630
Sou-Ry	30	12	18	.400
Indians	27	9	18	.333
Commerce	27	9	18	.333
Dreadnaughts	27	8	19	.296
Virginian	27	8	19	.296
Y. M. S. L.	27	7	20	.259

Schedule Week Nov. 20th.

Tuesday—Commerce vs. Indians.
Wednesday—Old Dominion vs. Va's.
Thursday— Y.M.S.L. vs. Snorters.
Friday—Cardinals vs. Dreadnaughts.

Last Night's Results.

Richmonds			
Minor	99	94	83
Curtin	96	103	90
W. H. Ree	—	90	102
McDonald	79	—	86
Kraft	94	80	—
Thornhill	96	91	106
Totals	464	458	467
Southern Railway.			
Ennis	97	86	99
Vickers	94	88	92
Devers	—	86	—
Carter	81	—	85
Munday	99	101	85
Fowler	87	85	112
Totals	458	446	473

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TAKE NOTICE—That the undersigned will, on the 26th day of December, 1916, or as soon thereafter as his application may be heard, make application to the Corporation Court of the City of Alexandria, Virginia, for license to order, purchase or receive pure grain, ethyl or pure fruit alcohol, for the use of the laboratory of the Southern Railway Company in the city of Alexandria, Virginia, not to be used contrary to the provisions of chapter 146 of the Acts of Assembly of Virginia of 1916.

J. E. RAMAGE,
Superintendent of Chemical Laboratory. Nov. 21-28. Dec. 5.

NOTICE

TAKE NOTICE—That the undersigned will, on December 26, 1916, or as soon thereafter as the same may be heard, make application to the Corporation Court of the City of Alexandria, Virginia, for license to order, purchase or receive ardent spirits for the use of the Alexandria Hospital, and not to be used contrary to the provisions of chapter 146 of the Acts of Assembly of 1916; and to sell such ardent spirits upon prescription to the patients of said Hospital under and in accordance with the provisions of chapter 146 of the Acts of Assembly of 1916.

WORTH HULFISH,
President of Board of Trustees of Alexandria Hospital. Nov. 21-28. Dec 5.

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NEWS OF THE DAY

Two men were instantly killed and three others seriously injured when a Pennsylvania Railroad express train bound for Philadelphia struck an automobile yesterday near York, Pa., The occupants of the car were York county farmers from the vicinity of Stewartstown bound for Lancaster to buy cattle. The dead are: Henry Lanius, 65 years old, and William Leib, 50 years old. Conrad Lanius probably will die. The farmers composing the party on the way to the cattle market occupied two automobiles. The driver of the first machine heard the crossing bell and saw the glare of the train's headlight, but realized that he could clear the tracks. The safe passage of the first machine is believed to have led the others on to the crossing directly in the path of the train.

An axe or hatchet caused the death of Mrs. Harriet Moss McDaniel, according to testimony of Dr. A. B. McGlothlan, yesterday at St. Joseph, Mo., in the trial of County Prosecutor Oscar D. McDaniel, the slain woman's husband, charged with the murder.

Twenty unexploded bombs were found in the sugar cargo of the American steamship Sarina upon her arrival at Cherbourg, France, after a voyage starting from New York on September 2, during which the vessel caught fire from a cause unknown, according to Fourth Mate Wybrants, of the Sarnia, who arrived yesterday at New York on the American Line steamship New York from Liverpool. The discovery of the bombs was due to the fact that it was necessary to empty each bag of sugar on board to ascertain salvage. The bombs were in the lower hold, seventeen being found one day and three the next.

Miss Mary Shumate, 19 years, old a daughter of George Shumate, who is the proprietor of a dairy at 622 F street southwest, Washington, where he resides with his family, was knocked down,choked and robbed last night in Sixth street near G southwest by a colored footpad, who when finally frightened off by the girl's screams, escaped with her purse, which contained $25.50. This is the second case of the kind in two weeks. The first was that of Mrs. Annie Sheerer, a nurse, who was felled with a cobblestone and robbed in Kalorama road northwest.

President Wilson has practically completed his next annual message to Congress and plans to put the finishing touches on it today. It will be devoted almost entirely to domestic matters and will deal primarily with legislative questions recommended to Congress previously and not finally settled.

After two weeks of married life, Roscoe Doyle, 24 years old, assistant cashier in the Adams Express Company's Washington office, was arrested yesterday on a charge of having embezzled $1,160 from his employers. The high cost of living was assigned by Doyle as the reason for appropriating small sums from time to time during the last year, according to the police.

About to be captured by a posse of enraged farmers, Ralph Poto, 22, of Alliance, Ohio, who early yesterday shot and seriously wounded his sweetheart, Mabel Austin, turned his revolver on himself. He fired three bullets into his breast and is believed to be dying. Poto escaped from the scene of the Austin shooting on his motorcycle. Farmers, pursuing, came upon him when his gasoline gave out. Poto shot the girl when she told him she could not go with him any longer because of her father's objections.

The German submarine Deutschland is now free to depart. It is thought she may do so before many hours, yesterday her owners deposited bonds totaling $97,500. These amply cover the possible recovery that may be made against her as a result of the loss of life and property arising out of her collision with the tug T. A. Scott, Jr.

The condition of the aged Francis Joseph, of Austria, Hungary, is the cause of anxiety at the Vatican. The fact that the sovereign's physicians are giving out periodical bulletins is interpreted as ominous. Pope Benedict receives frequent reports. The latest at hand says the Emperor's condition is serious, but not alarming. His symptoms are bronchial irritation, a slight temperature, and rapid and irregular pulse.

Mrs. Ida Gallagher, 57 years old, wife of William Gallagher, a retired master-at-arms of the navy, was fatally injured Saturday in Annapolis, Md., when she was struck by an automobile and died yesterday morning.

For the first time in its history Hackensack, N. J., has a "lady barber." It happened because local barbers went on strike last week for more pay and shorter hours. One of these, Louis Santruff hired a tall, handsome brunette to work at the second chair. Business began to increase, but few patrons wanted to take the first chair.

Five boys, Allen Gillett, 8 years old; Lyle Lorentz, 8 year old; Edward Wyss, 10 year old; his brother Lester, 7 years old, and Gordon Fisher, 11 years old, were drowned in a slough a short distance from Hastings, Minn., Saturday. Apparently the boys had walked out on the ice and had broken through.

OPOSSUM HUNTING

Didelphis Virginana Declared to be a Predatory Animal.

Is a 'possum a predatory animal? Commonwealth's Attorney Hobson, of Chesterfield county, is of opinion that he is because he has a "denuded" tail, Is it lawful in Virginia to go nut hunting or to hunt for rats or mice without a license? Do you have to have a license merely to "look on" while licensed hunters do the work of bagging the game? Such are the conundrums which the erstwhile dreamy but auspicious little village of Midlothian, one of the beauty spots of Chesterfield, has propounded to the rest of the world. Some parties who had accompanied opossum hunters were recently arraigned for hunting without a license, when the commonwealth's attorney said he felt that he should give his construction of the law. He said in his opinion entire act aimed at the preservation of game. "However different others the legislature as the object of the may view it," he said, "I believe that those who simply went along to view it could not be construed to be hunters within the legal meaning of the word." He said that one of the prime objects of the law was the destruction of predatory animals. "I do not know whether it is an established fact that a 'possum is a predatory animal or not, but I believe it is, and if it is these defendants if they could be considered hunters have aided the law rather than violated it. I know that a rat, a mink, a weasel are predatory animals and if you believe the 'possum is a predatory animal it is your duty to dismiss these defendants." The accused were accordingly dismissed.

SULTAN CONDEMNED

Turks Pass Death Sentence Upon Egyptian Ruler

Amsterdam, Holland, Nov., 20—A dispatch from Beirut, Syria, says a war tribunal has passed a sentence of death on Hussein Kemal Pasha, Sultan of Egypt, on the ground that he placed under foreign rule constituents parts of the Turkish Empire. The death sentence was confirmed, the dispatch says, by an Imperial decree.

Abbas Hilmi, who was Khedive of Egypt when the war began, espoused the cause of Turkey and was dethroned on December of 1914. The British Government then proclaimed the appointment of his uncle, Hussein Kemal, as Sultan of Egypt.

Increase in Food Cost 30 Per Cent.

New York, Nov. 21.—The laborer who earns $12 a week, and who last year spent $5.40 of it for food for himself and family, must now pay $7.02 for the same amount of food, according to a report of the Association for Improving the Condition of the Poor, made public last night. A study of the increases in the cost of food to the poor of this city since November, 1915, shows an average increase of 30 per cent. ranging from 20 per cent. for bread to 114 per cent for potatoes.

DROWNS IN BUCKET.

Victim Found With Head Submerged in Liquid Plaster.

Philadelphia, Nov. 21.— Thomas Mara, 37 years old, of Lancaster avenue near 52nd. street, was found dead yesterday morning with his head submerged in a bucket of plaster in the rear of a plasterer's shop at No. 5413 Wyalusing avenue. The body was discovered by Lemuel Loper, proprietor of the shop, who notified the police of the 29th district. According to physicians at the West Philadelphia Homeopathic Hospital death was caused by suffocation.

It is thought that Mara, who was a plasterer in the employ of Loper,entered the shop while in an intoxicated condition in order to find a place to sleep. While groping in the dark, it is believed, he tripped and fell, his head landing in the bucket of plaster.

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8:47 A. M. Daily—Local for Harrisonburg and way stations. Buffet parlor car.

9:17 A. M. Daily—Mail train, coaches for Manassas, Warrenton, Orange, Lynchburg, Greensboro and Charlotte.

10:22 A. M. Daily—U. S. Fast Mail stops only for passengers to points at which scheduled to stop. Coaches and Sleeping cars to Atlanta, New Orleans, Birmingham. Sleeping car Salisburg to Ashville. Coaches for Charlottesville, Lynchburg, Danville, Greensboro, and Charlotte.

4:22 P. M. Daily—Local for Charlottesville connecting at Calverton for Warrenton.

4:52 P. M. Daily—Birmingham Special. Sleeping cars between New York, Atlanta, Anniston, Birmingham, and Augusta. Through first class coaches between Washington, Atlanta and Birmingham. Dining car service. Tourist to California daily.

4.02 p. m.—Daily local for Harrisonburg and way Stations on Manassas branch. Pullman Buffet parlor cars.

5:22 P. M. Local for Warrenton.

7:17 P. M. Daily—Augusta Special. Through train with sleeping cars to Charlotte, Columbia, Aiken and Augusta. Through Sleeping cars to Ashville.

10:02 P. M. Daily—Washington and Chattanooga Limited (via Lynchburg) First class coaches and sleeping cars to Roanoke, Knoxville, Chattanooga, Sleeper to New Orleans, Washington to Roanoke, Dining car service.

11:02 P. M. Daily—New York and New Orleans Limited. All Pullman train. Club and Observation cars to New Orleans. Dining car service.

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Sundays and Holidays, same as above except trains at 5 00, 5 40, 6 20, 6 40, 7 10, 7 20, 7 50 and 8 10 A. M and 11 55 P. M.
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